## PATENT APPLICATION

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TITLE:

A THIN FILM DEVICE AND A METHOD OF PROVIDING THERMAL ASSISTANCE THEREIN

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